

The first of these is the fact that the
 number of cases of smallpox has
 increased in the last few years.
 This is due to the fact that the
 disease is more common in the
 tropics than in the temperate
 regions. It is also more common
 in the lower than in the upper
 classes of society. This is due to
 the fact that the lower classes
 are more crowded and less
 healthy than the upper classes.
 The second of these is the fact
 that the disease is more common
 in the summer than in the winter.
 This is due to the fact that the
 temperature is higher in the
 summer than in the winter.
 The third of these is the fact
 that the disease is more common
 in the country than in the city.
 This is due to the fact that the
 country is more healthy than the
 city.

But we desire the picture
of the man who was one of
the foremost in the ranks of
the Army of Liberty. I took
the Liberator when at Berlin
in the year 1836. I would
like some memorate of your
early trials in the holy cause
of human rights for our
Museum. Also I desire your
book of history of your times
which would do immense
good to our students.

We would be thankful
for any pamphlets or
speeches delivered by you.

Our Historiense Report
is gathered from contributions
the world over. Hon. Gerrit
Smith sent me his picture &
a few vols. for the Union & Lib.

Pardon my freedom in making
the request. Yours truly
J. B. Nichols Lib.

P.S. Any donation sent
be it ever so small will
be promptly acknowledged
by the Librarian & Gen. O. O.
Howard our President

D. B. N.

Howard University
April 28/70

Hon.

William Lloyd Garrison
Boston Mass.

Dear Sir

connected
with Howard University at
Washington D.C. we have a
historical department divided
into the Library, Picture Gallery
& Museum. It is our desire
to gather the faces of our Anti-
slavery friends in the form
of photographs or steel
pictures & engravings. We
have already made a
fair beginning of faces in
this country & England